

Arizona Veterans' Hall of Fame to Honor Nineteen

In a State of more than 600,000 estimated veterans, 19 are expected to receive the highest honor awarded by the Arizona Governor for their contributions outside and/or after their military service that provide inspiration to their fellow veterans and citizens of the State.

Since its inception in 2001, 184 Arizona veterans from all professions and branches of the service have been inducted to the Hall. 106 recipients are living today including five (5) Medal of Honor Recipients. Many of the Hall recipients will be in attendance on **October 30, 2009** to welcome their colleagues and visit with the public.

The Arizona Veterans' Hall of Fame Class of 2009 will honor the following:

Bahill, Stephen Larry of Tucson
Chorpenning, Patrick F. of Peoria
Fenstermacher, Gene of Sierra Vista
Hess, William Parker of Sierra Vista
Houston, Jerry E. of Sun City
Hutson, John "Hut" G. of Tempe
*** Jenkins, William C.** of Scottsdale
Lucier, David F. of Tempe
Martinez, Peter of Tempe
*** McDowell, Joseph J.** of Goodyear
Sams, Jon E. of Tucson
Santillan, Jr., Alfonso of Prescott
Schneider, Carl G. of Scottsdale
Schneider, Joseph A. of Sun Lakes
Schoggen, Joe G. of Litchfield Park
Sentz, Jr., John D. of Gilbert
Sisco, Joan E. of Phoenix
***† Suhler, Simon** of Prescott
Symmes Kenneth R. of Sierra Vista

* - Deceased

† - Medal of Honor

Special Honored Guest - **Arizona Governor Jan Brewer.**